UC Santa Cruz Three Year Pathway: ECONOMICS 2023-2024 Catalog Requirements

Three year pathways are most appropriate for students who plan a single major, who have satisfied the Entry-Level Writing Requirement before their first quarter, and who are committed to enrolling in Summer Session. Courses listed as "Any X credit class" may be decreased based on AP or other transfer credit.

This is a sample plan. Work with your major advisor to devise a plan that takes into account your transfer credit, interests, and career goals.

Fall, year 1	Winter, year 1	Spring, year 1	Summer, year 1
College Core Course	Writing 2 (C GE)	ECON 2 (PE GE)	IM General Education Class
MATH 2*	MATH 3*	AM 11A (MF GE)	Any 5 credit class
SI General Education Class	ECON 1 (PE GE)	ER General Education Class	Any 5 credit class
Total credits for quarter: 15			
Fall, year 2	Winter, year 2	Spring, year 2	Summer, year 2
AM 11B (MF GE)	ECON 100A	ECON 100B	ECON 113 (SR GE)
TA General Education Class	CC General Education Class	STAT 17& 17L (SR GE)	Any 5 credit class
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Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 15
Fall, year 3	Winter, year 3	Spring, year 3	Summer, year 3
Upper Division ECON Elective	Upper Division ECON Elective	Upper Division ECON Elective	Any 5 credit class
Upper Division ECON Elective	ECON 104 or 197 (DC GE)	Upper Division ECON Elective	Any 5 credit class
Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class	
ECON 193F (PR GE)**			
Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 10
			Total credits in plan: 180***

^{*} If needed. Students who place into AM 11A or higher may instead take any 5-credit class.

The following general education requirements will be satisfied with required courses in the economics major: PE, MF, SR, DC.

^{**} Though this course is optional for the major it is highly recommended. Students who choose not to take this class may instead take a different class to satisfy the PR General Education requirement.

^{***}Total credit count includes the 1-unit Orientation Course taken the summer before the start of year 1